

# OUR TOWN

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## Vocal Instruction to Choral Members

Second Talk on Subject by Professor Nice

The talk by the Musical Director, Prof. Nice, to the members of the Narberth Choral Society last Monday evening was based on the anatomy or the physiology of the voice, taking into consideration:

First, the lungs, as the motive power of the voice.

Secondly, the larynx, containing the voice box.

Thirdly, the pharynx, which comprises the cavities of resonance.

Fourthly, the mouth and organs of articulation.

As all good singing is based upon the amplification of the speaking voice (of course, it is taken for granted that the speaking voice is devoid of unnatural habits and in good healthy condition, but do not confuse "naturalness" with any wrong habits that have been formed and may at present seem correct through constant usage), it is well to state here just what happens when you talk or sing naturally.

The mind suggests a certain sound, and immediately the vocal lips, or chords as they are commonly known, are set into vibration by a current of air from the lungs. These vibrations are known as laryngeal sounds and must be transmitted to the mouth free of any interference. If only laryngeal sounds were heard in speaking, we would have a very uninteresting conversational tone; but this is not so. When these vibrations leave the larynx they are converted into a tone wave, and enter the cavities of the pharynx, where they are naturally amplified. This amplification of the tone wave is known as resonance.

The fact that you seldom hear two voices that have the same timbre is due to the different formations of these cavities and the voice box.

There are three principal cavities in which resonance is produced: Chest, Palatal, Head.

While all these cavities are very essential in producing resonance, the mouth is the principal resonator.

A few thoughts on articulation were also emphasized by Prof. Nice. The principal organs of articulation are the jaws, lips, tongue.

When the mind anticipates a certain pitch, the outgoing breath is converted into a tone wave with the proper number of vibrations for this anticipated pitch. These vibrations are carried to the above mentioned cavities of resonance and are transmitted to the mouth, which has been shaped by the mind to produce any wanted vowel or consonant.

It must be remembered that we sing only the vowels and sound the consonants.

Of course, space will not permit us to give verbatim all the splendid instruction the choral members receive each rehearsal night, but the above includes some of the vital principles which will be of tremendous help to any one interested in vocal improvement.

Prof. Nice announced that he would talk on Placement next Monday evening.

## NARBERTH GIRLS HOCKEY TEAM DEFEATED BY GLOUCESTER

The girls' hockey team of the Narberth High School was defeated on Wednesday, Nov. 1, 1922, by Gloucester City High at a score of 4-0. This is the first girls' hockey team ever introduced in the history of the Narberth Public School. The team played a splendid game. Gloucester City High is the champion of South Jersey, and have won every game this season. They admitted they were surprised at the good showing of the team. C. Metzgar, left wing, played a splendid game, also Houston and Reese. As a whole the team worked hard. They have a splendid nucleus for a good team. The players and their positions are as follows:

**NARBERTH**  
E. Reese, Right Wing,  
A. Shaw, Left Inside,  
C. Metzgar, Left Wing,  
A. Needham, Right Half,  
G. Houston, Center Half,  
M. Lambert, Left Half,  
M. Dold, Right Back,  
Manager E. England, Right Inside,  
H. Caldwell, Center Forward,  
Captain A. Lell, Left Back,  
M. Livingston, Goalkeeper.

**GLOUCESTER CITY**  
T. Ross, Right Wing,  
A. Burris, Right Inside,  
I. Demery, Center Forward,  
A. Powell, Left Inside,  
M. Powell, Left Wing,  
A. Wickham, Right Half,  
Captain E. Theckston, Center Half,  
S. Pierce, Left Half,  
H. McQuigley, Right Back,  
J. Hughes, Left Back,  
S. Alexander, Goalkeeper.

Referee—Compton, from Temple.

## NEEDLEWORK GUILD

The annual meeting of the Narberth Branch of the Needlework Guild will be held in the Sunday School rooms of the Presbyterian Church on Wed. Nov. 8th, at 2.30 P. M. The speakers will be Miss Mary Hanks, of the Baptist Institute of Christian worker, and Mrs. Alop, of Bryn Mawr, for the Needlework Guild. Garment should be brought in the morning, so they may be counted and arranged before the meeting. The public are cordially invited. Luncheon for the directors will be served at 12 M.



## Narberth Voters Will Act On \$165,000 Loan For New School Building Next Tuesday

### An Analysis of the Entire Situation

Written for "Our Town" By Leroy A. King, Ph. D.

As announced last week, "Our Town" has received the cooperation of Dr. Leroy A. King, Professor of Educational Administration at the University of Pennsylvania, who has prepared the following thorough and authoritative article:

#### An Editorial

The Borough of Narberth is facing a crisis in its school affairs that should receive the careful attention and consideration of every voter, particularly the school patron. The events that have led up to the present stage of development are fairly well understood by those who have followed the trend of school affairs as set forth from time to time in these columns.

Time does not permit an analysis or accurate survey of conditions in our public schools which might in any way give evidence either in the way of confirmation of the judgment of the School Board in asking the voters of the Borough of Narberth to ratify, through the election, the proposed bond issue of \$165,000, or of the educational and economic merits of the recent proposition suggested by possible opponents of the loan of doing away with our High School and sending the pupils in the higher grades to the Lower Merion High School. However, there are several quite clearly defined cross currents of public opinion on these issues which might be analyzed in order to help clarify the thinking of voters before they approach the polls next Tuesday.

#### High School Amalgamation

The present tendency over the State of Pennsylvania, and in fact the country at large is towards larger units in school administration. Just recently it has come to our notice that the State Superintendent of Public Instruction refused to endorse the organization of several separate school units in boroughs that had separated from townships as political units on the ground that it would not be wise to have the borough and the townships divided into separate units for school purposes. This was found especially true since each of the districts would have difficulty in maintaining separate high schools. The efforts of the State Department of Public Instruction are now largely exerted in favor of consolidated joint high schools, either in adjacent townships or in adjacent townships and boroughs.

It is now generally conceded that it is impracticable to maintain a modern progressive high school with a student body of less than 250 or 300 students. In a high school with small attendance the cost of maintenance and operation is relatively very high. Diversified courses are practically impossible without a teaching force out of all proportion to the student enrollment. Adequate school equipment for science laboratories, industrial shops, home economics, etc., mount in cost unduly in proportion to per capita student in the small high school as compared with the larger institutions.

It is evident that there is a strong desire on the part of many citizens of Narberth to investigate thoroughly the feasibility and practicability of an amalgamation of the Narberth and the Lower Merion High Schools. It would seem that it might be the part of wisdom for the School Officials of Narberth to take cognizance of this sentiment, in determining both their immediate and ultimate decisions in school matters.

The Borough and the township have agreed on joint regulation in health matters under the direction of the Health Board, and also in joint police protection under the mutual control of the Borough Council of Narberth and the Lower Merion Township Commissioners. The good judgment of our Borough Council and our Health Board in these matters has received practically the unanimous approval of all the citizens. Who knows, but that an amalgamation of the two high schools may tend to cause an opening wedge for the future organization of what is known in our Pennsylvania School Code as a Joint School District, that may become

ultimately an enlarged school district, in which the Borough and Township might both assume joint corporate and financial obligations as one school district with one Board of Education.

#### The School Loan

The School Board of Narberth with the advice of their architect, has pointed out the need for additional school facilities. The school patrons of the Borough have almost unanimously concurred in their judgment. Certainly no intelligent minded citizen could put forth effective arguments in favor of sending children on half time to school in the first four grades—a condition which is likely to extend to the fifth and possibly the sixth grade in a comparatively short time. It is true that our Borough has a tax rate of nineteen mills for school purposes, but this is certainly not exorbitant when one compares the generally low assessment rate and the tax rate of our Borough with that of other boroughs. It is doubtful whether the opponents of the Board's plan to float a school loan are opposed on the grounds of an increase in tax rate of four or five mills, which the additional indebtedness would incur. While this might be true in the case of a few short-sighted citizens, yet one of the main questions in the minds of doubtful voters is: What is ultimately the best for our Borough? They ask the question, To what extent are the present school facilities used for high school purposes? Would the present building be adequate to accommodate the elementary grades, at least for several years, if the high school were removed? Would this cause the postponement of the building plans for a time, at least, since present building costs seem to be very near the peak in high prices?

#### The Crux of the Matter

In answer to these questions, when proposed recently at an informal meeting of the School Board with a committee of citizens, the Board agreed that the building might be postponed for possibly two years, however, to the detriment of proper elementary grade facilities. This, we take it, would seem that even if a new elementary grade building is needed should the high school pupils be sent to the Lower Merion High School, that a school building could probably be built with less cost to our Borough than the one that is now proposed. This would probably require a thorough survey or investigation of our entire school organization with the result that the plans for the building could be revised either, in the first place, to accommodate both the elementary school and the high school, or, in the second place, only the elementary school, or possibly the elementary school and the Junior High School (an organization of the seventh, eighth and ninth grades). It would seem from all the evidence available that an elementary building will be needed very soon, even if the high school should be discontinued.

#### Danger in the Situation

The serious part of this situation is that on account of the current and cross current opinions of our citizens, the proposed school loan may be defeated next Tuesday. Furthermore, it would be most unfortunate if the School Board of the Borough would not make some kind of an arrangement to lighten the present school loan by sending high school students to the Lower Merion High School. The present situation would not only mean continued half-day sessions for a constantly increasing number of the elementary grades, but also inadequate working conditions hampering the Supervising Principal and the teachers so that "good schools" in the modern sense of the word would be an impossibility. It must be remembered, that according to the School Laws of Pennsylvania, the School Board cannot bring another loan before the voters until the expiration of a year, which delay would undoubtedly cause an elapse of two or three years before the necessary school facilities could be provided.

#### Obligations of the School Board

In view of the confusion of the voters and particularly the school patrons of our Borough, does it not behoove the School Board to make at once a complete and explicit statement of their plans, even if the school loan should be endorsed by a majority of our citizens? It would seem that they would be obliged in a sense to obligate themselves to agree to investigate the situation as thoroughly as possible, to hire an educational expert from outside the Borough to advise them in their educational policy; to try to arrange an agree-

ment with Lower Merion Township to take care of the Borough High School, if the majority of the citizens so desired; and to agree that if the loan is passed and the high school students are sent to Lower Merion High School to expend only such amount of the total loan as may be absolutely necessary to give the children of our Borough adequate elementary school facilities. It should, however, be assumed by all the voters that if, after the best educational advice is sought, and the School Board cannot for good and sufficient reasons make arrangements with Lower Merion Township, to take care of our high school, the Board should have the sanction of the people who vote for the loan to expend part or all the money for a joint elementary high school building.

#### The Voters' Duty

It would seem to the writer, that if the School Board will come before our citizens with a statement, at least in substance, to the effect as above stated, that it is a direct obligation of every voter of our Borough who has children in the Public Schools, not only to vote for the loan next Tuesday, but to do everything in his power to help put across the loan by soliciting the vote of all his friends and neighbors.

We must provide school facilities for the children of this Borough. Narberth cannot afford the stigma of having children educated on half time under the conditions now prevalent in our present school building. Let us vote for the loan, but also let us require such a decision and action on the part of our School Board that will meet the desire of the majority of the voters of our Borough. It is believed the Board will do its part in performing its obligations in recognition of the will of the majority of the people. However, definite public assurance by letter or pamphlet from the Board will help solve our school troubles, aiding the success of the school loan, and avoiding what might be called a calamity in educational affairs in our Borough.

#### EXPLANATION OF THE PLANS.

There is reproduced above an architect's drawing of the proposed new elementary school building for the Narberth Public Schools. The construction costs of this plan are to be met by the loan which will be submitted to the voters next Tuesday. There is a great deal of confusion about the actual purpose of the \$150,000 designated for the new buildings. The entire plan was explained at the open meeting held at the school on July 14th. The new buildings, which were designated as entirely for the expansion of the elementary department, were described in the issue of "Our Town" of July 22nd.

The plan is to erect a new plant adjacent to the present buildings, on Shand Field, just beyond the present new building, now occupied by the lower grades. The new building is planned to contain eight rooms, four on each floor.

Between the present elementary building (shown in the left of the illustration) and the proposed addition (at the right) would be built an auditorium, on the ground floor, as required by law, large enough to accommodate about 800 people. This would permit the entire school to assemble at one time, if desired, at the same time would supply Narberth with an auditorium large enough to accommodate the large crowds attending concerts, plays, commencement exercises, etc.

It is planned that the floor of this auditorium be provided in part with movable seats, so that the center of the floor would become the gymnasium. It is planned, also, if the loan is approved, to convert the present inadequate gymnasium into rooms for the Domestic Science department. Adjoining the Auditorium, in the rear, the plans call for four other rooms, making the entire new plant consist of twelve rooms, considered by the Board as sufficient to accommodate the school population for years to come. Of the \$165,000 asked for, \$150,000 is for the construction of the plant as outlined above, and \$15,000 to pay off an existing indebtedness. The above information is furnished to our readers at the request of a number not fully informed as to the exact purpose of this proposed loan. Comment on the merits of the proposition is withheld, as it will be found in full in another article.

## Narberth Will Face Crisis On Friday

Mass Meeting to Determine Fate of Bond Issue

Narberth faces a crisis. Perhaps the seriousness of that crisis or the extent to which it can influence the future of the community is not fully appreciated. But it exists nevertheless. Upon the success of the mass meeting which will be held in the High School Auditorium Friday evening (to-night) at eight o'clock, rests the outcome of the entire school loan controversy. It is the last opportunity that voters will have of learning reasons for voting for or against the loan; the last chance of voicing opinions.

That the mass meeting is necessary becomes more apparent every day. Conversation with the man on the street exhibits an amazing ignorance of facts underlying the school loan. Misstatements are made, wrong opinions formed and a general lack of understanding evidenced. In spite of a mass of information put at the disposal of all residents of Narberth, these persist and, in most part come from a lack of knowledge of our school problem and the means that are at hand for solving it.

Hence the need for this mass meeting where the cards can be placed on the table and the facts given once more. There is no desire on the part of any one connected with the school or the loan to disguise facts or to hide any thing. It will be a wide open meeting held for the purpose of stating facts and answering questions.

If you have decided that the loan is the best solution of the school problem and have resolved to vote for it, then you need not come to the meeting. But if there is any doubt in your mind, if there are any points which are not clear, or if you have been convinced that it is best to "kill" the loan, your duty will be to attend the meeting, regardless of anything else. Absence from the meeting will be taken as evidence of approval of the loan.

This is the last chance to put Narberth in the 100 per cent. class. It is better to use judgment before November 7th than regret after.

Board of School Directors.

Dr. King's article contains a direct and explicit challenge to the Narberth School Board to make a complete statement as to their attitude towards the proposed amalgamation, should the loan be approved. This is the last issue of OUR TOWN before the question is placed before the voters at the polls. The School Board has but two means of reaching all the residents; either by sending a circular to each family, with the statement called for, or through OUR TOWN.

In order to act in the highest spirit of fairness both to its readers and the School Board, we have advanced the date of this week's issue to Friday afternoon, and we hereby offer to issue and distribute a special supplementary edition of OUR TOWN next Monday, to afford a medium for any such statement that the Board desires to issue before the election.

OUR TOWN is devoted to the betterment of Narberth. If such a special edition would aid in a forward step, we stand ready to render that service.

#### CLARENCE T. FARIES, JR.

Clarence Taylor Faries, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Faries, of Narberth and Windsor avenues, died at the home of his parents on Wednesday morning of this week. Mr. Faries was 20 years of age. The funeral will be held at 11.00 A. M. Saturday. Interment at East Laurel Hill Cemetery.

## Women Hear Talk On Current Politics

Miss Jessie Evans Speaks Before Community Club

"Women's Citizenship" was the subject under discussion at the meeting of the Women's Community Club on Tuesday last. Miss Jessie Evans, of the William Penn High School, was the speaker.

Before Miss Evans spoke the general business meeting of the Club was conducted. The announcement was made that a Reading Class had been started under the chairmanship of Mrs. James P. Donnelly, the next meeting to be held at Mrs. Donnelly's home in the Avon Apartments, next Monday at 3 P. M.

A new department of the Club will also be started before the next Club meeting. This will be a Children's Class in the Y. M. C. A. building, at which Club mothers may leave their children until the end of the meeting. A very small charge will probably be made. After Mrs. Ross had announced that Mrs. Guinan would be the membership chairman for the year, the report of the State Federation was read. Interesting news of the art world will be reported to the Club by Miss Shand.

Miss Evans in her talk on women's citizenship said that the idea of a home run by men only is as bad as a world run by men only. Not only do politics need women, but women need politics—to broaden their interests, develop their powers and make them more competent even in the home.

"There are two ways of getting results in public affairs," said Miss Evans. "One is to join a political party, the other to work through a private organization. Politics are improving as public opinion forces the improvement. Women have always been interested in child welfare, and often as the result of their work through private organizations, Legislatures, anticipating the pressure that would eventually be brought to bear on them will pass the desired laws."

The offices to be filled at the November election were discussed. "Home rule for cities" explained and all women urged to read and keep up with current events.

The music for the afternoon was furnished by Mrs. L. W. Arny, who sang several songs.

#### TENNIS ASSOCIATION ACKNOWLEDGES DONATIONS.

The Narberth Tennis Association wishes to publicly express its thanks for the donations contributed to the Country Fair by the following individuals and business concerns:

C. V. Noel, Ray Weiss, H. D. Narbigan, Atlantic and Pacific Stores, S. J. Thomas, Stephen Whitman & Sons, B. G. Constantine, Allan R. Cressman Company, Frings Brothers, Bayuk Brothers, A. P. Redifer, W. H. Fretz, E. A. MacNeice, Phillips Manufacturing Company, J. G. Darlington & Co., Shelby-Tyler Company, Hugh Brown, H. O. Wilbur Company, L'Aiglon Cafe, Sauter's, Woolworth Stores, Watson & Co., Mrs. E. M. France, Freeman's Meat Market, The Imperial Store, White's Sweet Shop, Hart & Co., Scott-Powell Company, George Markle, L. M. Thompson, Narberth Coal and Building Material Company, George B. Newton Coal Company, Mrs. J. B. Wine, J. J. Findeisen, Vacuum Oil Company, Invader Oil Company, Keystone Lubricating Company.

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William Peterson, Joseph Tetley & Co., Schlorer Delicatessen Company, Borden Condensed Milk Company, R. T. French Company, Keebler-Weyl Baking Company, Laurel Soap Manufacturing Company, Scholler Brothers, Inc., John Caldwell, A. J. Loos, Raymond C. Jones, Cook Brothers, W. S. Howard, Mrs. John Klinger, A. C. Shand, Jr., and Howard C. Smedley.

#### FROM A FAR COUNTRY.

It is always a source of great pleasure to Our Town when subscribers moving from the borough maintain their subscriptions to the paper. A number of former residents are still, after some years of absence, regular subscribers. This week we were most pleasantly surprised to receive a letter from faraway Egypt, containing a two-years' subscription to Our Town. A part of the accompanying letter is of interest to all:

"Although we have been away from Narberth but a short time, we find we simply can't do without our good old friend, Our Town.

Best wishes to the folks of Narberth. If by chance you happen to know of any Narberthites coming to Egypt via one of the many Mediterranean cruises this winter, be sure and let us know, for we'd be delighted to show them around a bit.

Sincerely yours,  
G. M. TAMBLYN,  
Y. M. C. A., Cairo, Egypt."



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SATURDAY, NOV. 4, 1922

EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS  
Fire, 350.  
Police, 1250.  
or Ardmore 20

### A MEDIUM OF INFORMATION

"Our Town" takes this opportunity to state that in all controversial subjects, it is not the organ of any faction or body save its publishers, the Narberth Civic Association. In recognition of this function, it has, in the past few weeks, kept its columns open at all times to articles representing all sides of our very complicated school problem.

It is only fair to state that "Our Town" has not agreed with all the various opinions expressed, but has simply acted as a medium for those expressions. It is not the function of any newspaper to agree with, or comment upon, any of the many and diversified ideas that find space in its columns.

This week it is a source of great pleasure to us to be able to present a rational and complete article covering the entire school situation. This article is not partisan, and it is written by a man well qualified to speak on the question. We take the greatest pride in the fact that our co-operative system of news-gathering permits us to secure the assistance of such a capable writer as Dr. King.

It is that earnest desire of "Our Town" that every voter read this feature article carefully, realizing that it is the expression of much research and knowledge, and represents the earnest desire of "Our Town" to furnish a complete unbiased, and constructive survey of this vital question to its readers.

### PATTISON OF NARBERTH.

Again this week Our Town is carrying advertisements of the Narberth Committee of 100 Republicans, formed for the most admirable purpose of pushing the cause of their most worthy townsman and political opponent, Robt. E. Pattison.

Our Town is most strictly non-political. Naturally, the greater part of its workers are Republicans. But we have no hesitation in urging every public-spirited voter of Narberth, Republican, Democrat, Socialist or Prohibitionist, to break their regular ticket sufficiently to include a vote for "Our Bob" for Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania.

It is rarely that a town has such an excellent opportunity to cast aside partisan differences and back a popular townsman. If Mr. Pattison should come through a victor in the contest, it would be a source of pride to Narberth residents of all parties.

We are not voting for a party—we are voting for a neighbor. Narberth should be 100% for P. Pattison.

### Letters to the Editor

To the Editor of Our Town:

On Tuesday, November 7, the voters of Narberth are expected to say, by ballot at the polls, whether the proposed issuance of bonds of \$165,000, asked for by the School Board shall be approved.

It is pointed out and generally conceded that the borough is in desperate need of additional accommodations for children of elementary school age.

There are many taxpayers, men and women well informed upon school matters, who are of the belief that the course pursued by the School Board is not the best possible under our existing conditions, and not at all in harmony with the general plan of education as advanced by the Commissioner of Education of the State, who insists that High Schools should be provided for in centers of certain population, and that a High School should not be attempted in a community where the population is not sufficient to afford and maintain the high standards the State contends for.

Upon a recent visit to Reading the writer had occasion to have a conference with Mr. Adam Lender, Superintendent of Reading Schools, and asked a few pertinent questions concerning the methods adopted in the Reading

District. The conversation was as follows:

Q. "A community of what minimum population should consider the maintenance of a first-class High School?"

A. "Under no consideration less than 25,000."

Q. "What are your adjacent townships doing regarding their High School situations?"

A. "The townships of Muhlenberg, Alsace, Exeter and Canra are availing themselves of the High School facilities of the City of Reading at a cost of \$100 per year per pupil. In fact, all nearby townships should do this, as we feel it is a responsibility of the larger groups to take care of this condition."

Q. "Do you know of any communities that have erected High Schools with insufficient taxable population to economically maintain them, and what was the result?"

A. "Yes. In such cases a bond issue was made, with the result that most of the borrowing capacity of the community was used, leaving a very poor allowance for the employment of faculty."

Narberth is certainly one of these communities. A group of citizens has taken upon themselves the responsibility of ascertaining whether Lower Merion High School was equipped and willing to take over our High School pupils, and thereby relieve the borough of the excessive burden of providing High School facilities and thereby enable us to concentrate upon the elementary grades and bring these up to a satisfactory and high state of efficiency. Lower Merion High School, it has been learned, is unusually well equipped for that character of work. At a conference with representatives of the Lower Merion High School Board it developed that the Lower Merion authorities are willing and glad to take over our High School pupils, send buses to Narberth to take the children to school and return them in the evening after school, and all at an expense of much less than would be the case if Narberth proceeded upon the plans proposed by the School Board, irrespective of the very superior opportunities Lower Merion provides. Narberth has not the population and never can have to justify the effort and expense of maintaining a first-class High School.

The argument that we must look into the future and provide for the increasing school population is not well taken, for the reason that the school population cannot materially increase without Narberth extending its boundaries. Nearly every house is occupied, and there is, accordingly, no opportunity for Narberth to grow in the matter of population, as few lots are available.

Mr. Pattison, the Scout Master, stated that out of sixteen scout troops of his troop only five attend the Narberth High School; eleven are attending elsewhere. It was proposed that the School Board withdraw the loan proposition, have a survey made of the requirements for the elementary schools and then, at a special election, vote the amount necessary to convert the High School into accommodations for the graded school and provide such additional space as may be necessary. This the Board refused to do, although it had ample time to do so after the proposition was broached, insisting that the loan in its full amount must be granted and that the Board use as much of it as it might find necessary. It is bad policy to vote to any committee an amount of money two or three or four times larger than the actual need for which it is intended, and in insisting upon this there is no intent of casting reflection upon the integrity of the School Board. It is simply poor business procedure.

We are already taxed far beyond a normal average, and to add to this unnecessarily, as the above argument will surely show, is a hardship in which the people of Narberth cannot intelligently acquiesce. The Lower Merion authorities will agree to accept our High School students for at least three years, or a term for which the present Board has authority to contract for, and in view of Lower Merion at the present time putting up an additional building costing \$650,000, it is entirely reasonable and logical to expect that this arrangement with Lower Merion will be a perpetual one. It is, therefore, clearly the duty of our School Board to arrange with Lower Merion for our High School requirements, concentrate upon our elementary departments, bring these up to a higher state of efficiency, and in the doing of this the loan asked for is far in excess of all requirements and, therefore, should be defeated, and, therefore, should be a new proposition at the proper time will meet all requirements in accordance with this scheme.

## ARDMORE THEATRE

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 6th

Concert Orchestra  
Every Evening and Sat. Matinee

Monday and Tuesday

"Monte Cristo"  
By Alexandre Dumas

Wednesday  
KATHERINE MACDONALD  
In "Stranger Than Fiction"

Thursday and Friday  
JOHNNY HINES  
In "Sure Fire Flint"

Saturday  
DOROTHY DALTON  
In "The Woman Who Walked Alone"

Sat. Mat., "Buffalo Bill"

to which we are sure the people of Narberth will cheerfully respond. Therefore, vote "No" on the school loan on November 7th.

ROBERT O. FORSYTH.

To the Editor of Our Town:

The enclosed editorial from the Philadelphia Bulletin of October 31st, is quite pertinent of the proposition before us. The question is not so much whether or not we shall approve or disapprove of the bond issue; that is befuddling the question. The question is, "Shall we continue our High School?"

Each High School pupil cost us up to \$200 per annum, and will probably cost more if extended facilities are granted. Lower Merion High School will cost us about \$125.00 each, and they will get a better education there.

LARGE RURAL SCHOOL UNITS.  
Pertinent interest for Pennsylvanians concerned with changes in the State's rural school policy is contained in the report of the New York League of Women Voters recommending the abolishment of the small district system and the establishment of the county as the basis of rural school administration. The New York women have found exactly what has been apparent in this State, that many districts are too small or too sparsely populated to raise money enough to assure their schools either buildings or equipment measuring up to modern standards.

Correction of the defect is to be found in a reasonable degree of consolidation. So far as it can be done without making the transportation difficulties too great, neighboring schools can be drawn together. This involves no abandonment of the Little Red Schoolhouse ideal, whether in the recommendation of the New York women or in the proposals of Dr. Pinegan and his co-workers. The ideal of democratic education and a trained citizenship is fundamental in the United States. It is as strong now as it ever was. But sentimentalism should not be allowed to give it a backward slant. When the crossroads schoolhouse is found to be poorly ventilated, poorly equipped, unsanitary, and unable to fulfill the standard educational demands, something better must be provided lest the rural pupils be deprived of their right.

If individual districts are unable to muster sufficient means, union of adjacent districts for meeting their joint need is natural and proper co-operation.  
A. E. WOHLERT.

### PATTISON IN PENNSYLVANIA POLITICS.

Twice elected Governor of the State of Pennsylvania—ordinarily a Republican Commonwealth by a large majority—on the Democratic ballot, was Robert E. Pattison, Senior.

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Many of the friends of Robert E. Pattison, Junior, feel that he could well have started his political career with higher aspirations than that of Lieutenant Governor, and are certain that regardless of his father's standing as a citizen he is on his own merits fitted for any office for which he might be nominated.

There have been times, there are times, and there will be times when voters recognize sterling character and place the man before political partisanship.

The coming election is the voters' opportunity to not only cast a ballot, but to really vote with a first hand knowledge of for whom and for what they are voting.

A Republican Governor and a Democratic Lieutenant Governor is a very likely possibility in Pennsylvania during the next administration, and if the Republican voters of the entire State knew the Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor as well as the people of Narberth know him, the possibility would become a realization.

The Narberth Pattison Committee of One Hundred Republicans.

### CARD PARTY

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Narberth Tennis Association will be held Friday, November 10th, 1922, at 2 P. M., at the home of Mrs. O. V. Kruse, 17 Elmwood Ave., followed by cards, 50 cents per player. Please notify Mrs. Kruse if you will play.

### RUMMAGE SALE

The King's Daughters will hold their rummage sale Tuesday, Nov. 7. Kindly have your rummage ready to be called for Monday morning, Nov. 6. Call Narberth 386 R or 623 R.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania under the provisions of the Public Service law, by Barclay J. Walsh and James P. Ford, co-partners trading as Ford & Walsh, for a certificate of public convenience evidencing the Commission's requisite approval of the transportation of persons as a common carrier, by means of motor vehicles, on call and demand, in Lower Merion Township, Montgomery County, and Radnor Township, in Delaware County, and adjacent territory, with stand at Villa Nova Station of the Philadelphia & Western Railway Company, to furnish service from this point in the above-named townships upon call of patrons.

A public hearing on this application will be held in Room 406, City Hall, Philadelphia, on Thursday, November 16, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard if they so desire.

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## THE TOWER OF BABBLE

By Collum Righter

### FIRESIDE

It hath come to our ears that the Fireside News is considered lacking in certain elements that go toward keeping it hoisted at the mast head of popularity in this paper. Personally, we don't see anything the matter with it. But! It hath also come to our ears that a selected few have publicly derided it as a news noser and boldly intimate that we never report anything except missing. We do not know how they'd like it, but were we the Fireside reporter we'd give 'em something along these lines:

Mr. and Mrs. Howe Auffy Dere, of Wadsworth Air, Donitney Way, Damexpanse Lane, Narberth, gave a dinner dance last Friday evening at the Slits-Tarleton to announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ina Little Dere, to Mr. C. Watyme Getteng, of Wattlebunsport, Mass. Mr. Getteng is the son of the late Honorable Con. Tinnully Getteng, former president of the Ignited Skates Steel Company. He is a graduate of Yale, a member of the firm of Burble, Chortle and Spool, and also associated with Howy-Hate-Havenny Company. Among his more prominent clubs are the Smatterwith Rowing Club, the Hoochferever Golf Club, the Still Hunt Club, the Severeny Fishing Club, the Heckwith Art Club and many others.

Miss I. Carenotta Trifle, of Wynnewood avenue, is planning to spend the months of December and January in Florida. If circumstances prevent her from doing so, however, she will remain right at home where she belongs and keep house for her aged father.

Mr. Trowsers Van Guzzle and Mr. O. G. Wattamore, of Scurvy Road, has returned much the worse for wear from a duck shooting trip at Wildwood, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Pockett E. Dishna, of Octavo, Delaware, are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a perfectly dear Old Heater on Saturday, October 28th. Mrs. Dishna will be recalled by her many friends as the charming Miss Iva Nitch.

Mr. Wingtippe Brogue, of Eylelet, New Vampshire, is spending this week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. O'Linsloe, of Kewis Road.

Mrs. Haven Out and her sister, Miss U'ula Ada Noid, of 4317 Sussex avenue, will entertain at Bridge on Friday afternoon, November 31st. Thirty-seven invitations have been mailed. A wooden luncheon of a few covers will precede the affair. A silver offering will be extracted.

A communication signed "Dewdrop" asks us to suggest a yell that can be used by the Narberth Football team. We will do more than suggest one. We'll turn one over to the Composing Room and see whether they can get it set up after the head-ache just preceded.

You can't get our goat, Dew drop! We've loosened our tonsils, razed our adenoids and swallowed our uvula many a time and oft, upon he side lines, with a hashed in megaphone and our shirt tail high torn off. We repeat it! You can't get our goat!

Now then! All together! Let's go!

Me-he! Me-hi! Me-ho!  
Me-rum-stick-bumle-nickle  
Nit-eat-ninny-cat  
Soapfat-meringue!  
Hobble-gobble-nicker-acker!  
Hobble-gobble-fire-cracker!  
Hobble-gobble-razoo!  
Johnny-git-your-buzzo!  
Sias! Boom! Rah-h-h!  
Narberth! Narberth!! Narberth!!!

One thing though. For goodness sake don't practice this Locomotive Yell before eight A. M. And don't do it on an empty "stummick" or a Sunday morning.

NOTE—"Collum" Righter" was not "lazy" this week. In justice to his effort, it is only fair to state that the rest of his "Tower" was censored.—The Editor.

### "Are the Children All In?"

If you do not have a "vicarious faith" sufficient to claim the salvation by every unsaved child or relative, you are not claiming Bible promises? When Christ saw "their faith"—that of the four friends—He healed the paralytic.

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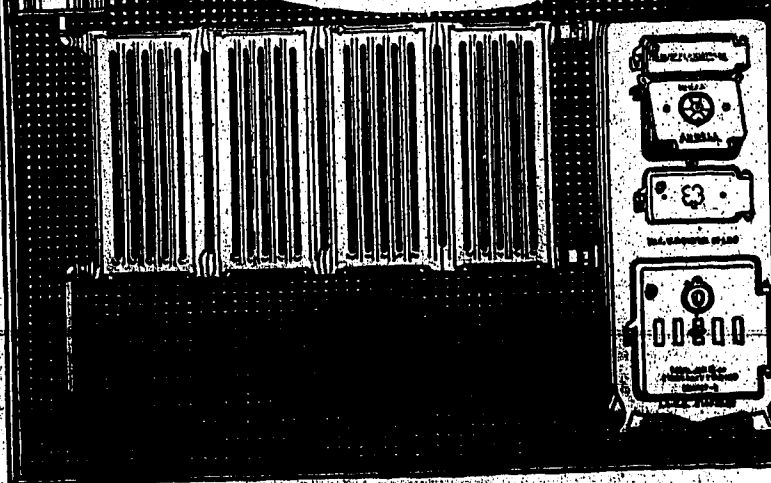
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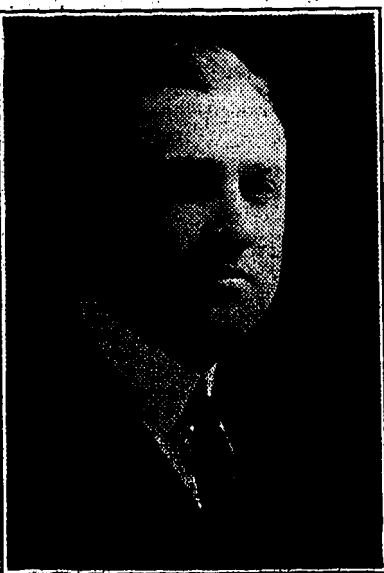
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## School Notes

By the Students

### HALLOWE'EN PARTY.

The Fifth Grade, under their teacher, Miss Allen, had a most enjoyable Halloween entertainment and party on Tuesday afternoon. The room was very attractive in its decorations of corn, autumn leaves and orange and black. The entertainment consisted of a short play called, "The Green Goblin," action songs and recitations. Bobbing for apples, perambulating for nuts and numerous games provided amusement for both the class and their visitors. An abundance of refreshments were provided and served by members of the class.

Miss Speakman, who has been confined to her home on account of illness, has returned to her work at school.

A mass meeting was held in the High School auditorium Friday, November 3, to discuss the bond issue. Many big speakers were present.

The Seventh and Eighth Grades have been forming a library by contributing books of their own. The purpose of this library is to make the boys and girls discriminating readers. The books in the school library are too old for them to understand and there are not enough to go around.

The Freshman Class of the Narberth High School was responsible for distributing circulars explaining the arguments for and against the school loan.

The Narberth High School has been very fortunate in securing Mr. Spratt, the well-known choir singer, to play the piano.

A certain alumnus has offered a ten-dollar gold piece to the man on the Narberth H. S. football team who shows the best team work.

Jack o' Lantern didn't forget to leave some of his belongings in front of the school. Those looking for Dr. R. C. Hoffman's sign will find it by the school steps. Somebody's overcoat was keeping Father Time warm on the sun dial.

A prize has been offered to the pupils of the High School for the best essay on "Real Estate," the subject that Mr. McCarter, the first of our business speakers, talked about on Wednesday, October 25th, in the school auditorium.

The girls' hockey team had a meeting last Monday and they elected Anna Sell captain.

All the football players are fighting hard for the ten-dollar gold piece that is being awarded by an alumnus.

### WESTMINSTER CIRCLE

The October meeting of the Westminster Circle was held at Mrs. Brownell's. It was the largest attendance the Circle has had in many months. The report of the Fall Sewing was most interesting. The Circle has from 900 to 1,000 garments to be made for the Children's Hospital of Phila. The members are to be congratulated on their enthusiasm in the work, and Mrs. W. J. Loughlin sees to it that the Children's Hospital's supplies are kept up to the mark, and the Circle has no time to lose as long as she distributes the sewing.

The ladies prepared and served the Sunday School Teacher's Association Dinner on the 20th, and all those present felt the Circle ladies did great credit to the organization in the success of the dinner. They are busy now preparing their Thanksgiving donation to the Bala Home. Last year the Circle's donation assisted materially in making Narberth's donation the best and most liberal donation the Bala Home received. We hope to do better this year.

We are proud of the charity work we do, and aim this year to make it a banner year in our work.

November meeting will be held at Mrs. Loughlin's, Cedar Place and South Narberth Ave., Thursday evening, Nov. 9th.

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## News of the Churches

### THE OLD MERION FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE.

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First-day School closed during July and August.

### ST. MARGARET'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday masses at 7 o'clock and 10 o'clock. On first and third Sundays the late Mass is a High Mass, followed by benediction.

Daily Mass at 8 A. M.

### THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister.

Meetings for November 5:  
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School. All grades.  
11:00 A. M.—Public worship. Subject of sermon, "How Much Do We Owe?" During this meeting there will be the ordination of the newly elected Deacons.

4:00 P. M.—Junior Endeavor meeting.  
7:00 P. M.—Meetings of the Intermediate and Senior Endeavor Societies.  
7:45 P. M.—Evening worship. Mr. Van Ness will discuss the great problem of Immortality. Does death end all, or is there a life hereafter? If a man die shall he live again? What is the teaching of the Bible about Immortality?

### Church Notes.

At the prayer meeting next Wednesday the subject will be "Christ the Door," John 10: 9.

The Needlework Guild will hold their annual meeting in this church next Wednesday afternoon.

A very gratifying offering was made to the Near East Relief work last Sunday in both Sunday School and Church service. The offering will be retained until after next Sunday for any belated gifts.

The Junior Endeavorers held a most delightful social in the church basement last Thursday evening, under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Taft.

### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Arthur S. Walls, D. D., Pastor.

Sunday, November 5:  
9:45 A. M.—Bible School. Hon. F. W. Stiles, Superintendent.  
11:00 A. M.—Communion. Baptism of children. Reception of members. Anthem, "Cantate Domino." Buck, by the choir. Quartet, "Ivory Palaces," Barbraclough.  
6:45 P. M.—Epworth League.  
7:45 P. M.—Evening worship. Sermon, "The Meaning of Manhood." Anthem, "Gloria in Excelsis." Communion, by the choir. Quartet, "He Doeth All Things Well," Hall.

### Church Notes.

The officers of the W. F. M. S. will entertain the members of the society at luncheon at the church Monday at 12:30 o'clock. The monthly meeting will follow. The report of the branch meeting will be given by Mrs. Etta Walker.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 8 P. M.

### BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL.

Rev. Avery S. Demmy, Pastor.

Services Sunday, November 5, 1922:  
9:30 A. M.—Prayer service.  
9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M.—Morning worship. Communion service.

7:00 P. M.—Young People's meeting. Subject, "Profanity and Slang." The meeting will be in charge of Group I.

7:45 P. M.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
8:00 P. M., Wednesday evening, mid-week service. Subject, "Present Day Samaritans on the Jericho Road." This will be a review of last year's experience in "Filling a Ship with Fellowship" and the present call to "Rush a Ship to Russia." We invite you to worship with us.

### ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Wynnewood Ave. and Montgomery Ave.

Rev. Gibson Bell, Rector.

Rev. E. B. W. Hutt, Rector's Assistant.

Sunday, November 5th, 21st after Trinity:  
8:15 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
9:45 A. M.—Church School.  
10:00 A. M.—Mr. Hutt's Class.  
11:00 A. M.—Morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion. Choral communion service by the choir. Offertory anthem, "Souls of the Righteous."  
It is hoped that both celebrations of Holy Communion will be well attended this Sunday, particularly the 11:00 o'clock service, which ought to be crowded. The choir has prepared special music.

There was an error in last week's notice regarding the Boy Scouts' meetings. These are at 8 o'clock instead of 7:30, every Tuesday evening, in the parish house. The first part of each meeting is taken up by a short talk on the principles of Scouting, followed by games, both indoors and outdoors. The boys are assured of a good time as well as a beneficial meeting.

Our choir is very good and already has an enviable reputation, but Mr. Spratt desires to make it bigger and better. There has been no response to the previous suggestion that more adults are wanted. Are there no singers in Narberth who want to sing in a good Episcopal choir? The excellent programs make the work unusually interesting. It is a privilege to be part of such a department of the church work.

## HOLY TRINITY EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Dr. S. D. Daugherty, Acting Pastor.

Services Sunday morning in the Y. M. C. A.  
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.  
Regular services at 10:45 A. M.  
A congregational meeting will be held after the regular service.

## COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY ELECTION NOTICE

For Increase of Debt of the School District of the Borough of Narberth, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of School Directors of the School District of the Borough of Narberth, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, unanimously adopted at an adjourned regular meeting held the 20th day of September, A. D. 1922, notice is hereby given to all electors of the School District of the Borough of Narberth that in order to obtain the assent of the electors of the School District to an increase in the sum of One Hundred Sixty-five Thousand (\$165,000) Dollars in the bonded indebtedness of said School District

A PUBLIC ELECTION will be held in said School District at the place, time, and under the same regulations as provided by law for the holding of municipal elections in said School District on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, 1922

Between the hours of Seven o'clock A. M. and Seven o'clock P. M.

being the day and time fixed by law for holding the General Election at the polling place in the said School District, and being the place of holding the municipal elections for the said District, when and where each duly qualified elector of said School District may vote for or against the proposed increase of indebtedness.

1. The amount of the last preceding assessed valuation of taxable property in said School District is in the sum of \$3,363,300.00.

2. The total amount of the existing indebtedness of said School District is in the sum of \$69,000.00, of which \$15,000.00 is to be refunded, leaving a then existing indebtedness of \$54,000.00.

3. The amount of the proposed increase in the bonded indebtedness of said School District is in the sum of \$165,000.00.

4. The percentage of the proposed increase in the bonded indebtedness of said School District, computed upon the basis of the last preceding assessed valuation of taxable property therein is 4.9058+ %.

5. After said proposed increase in the indebtedness of said School District shall have been made, the total amount of the then existing indebtedness of said School District will be in the sum of \$219,000.00 and the percentage of the said total amount of the said then existing indebtedness of said School District, computed upon the basis of the last preceding assessed valuation of taxable property therein, will be 6.5114+ %.

6. The proposed increase of bonded indebtedness is for the following purposes, namely:

In order to build, equip and furnish a school building, on the lot, in the Borough of Narberth, Pennsylvania, adjoining the present Public School Building on the east, and bounded on the northeast by Montgomery Avenue, and on the south by Sabine Avenue, and to provide for, pay, and refund existing temporary indebtedness in the sum of \$15,000.00.

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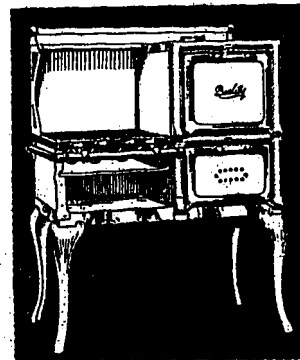
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New books added this month are:

The Call of the Mountains, Le Roy Jeffers  
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The Misses Eleanor and Jean Fittipaldi, of Mellon avenue, attended a masquerade ball on Saturday evening, October 28, in Fox Chase, Pa.

Monthly social of the women of the Baptist Church, Tuesday evening, November 7, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. Howard McCarter, 401 South Narberth avenue. Hostesses, Mrs. Horton Williamson and Mrs. Wm. D. Smedley.

The Pollyanna Girls' Class of the Baptist Sunday School will be glad to entertain in the Junior School room any small children whose parents wish to attend church.

Mr. Warren Gross, No. 322 Dudley avenue, had the pleasure last week of entertaining Mr. Daniel Rennie, a life-long friend, formerly of Philadelphia, but now a resident of St. Louis, where he is connected with the Wabash Railway system.

The officers of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will entertain the society at a luncheon Monday, November 6th, at 12:30 o'clock. The monthly meeting will follow, with a report of the branch meeting, by Mrs. Ella Walker.

Members and friends of the Baptist Church are asked to reserve Friday evening, November 10, for a great family gathering at the church. Come with your smiles and good cheer. This old world needs it.

Miss Emily Needham, of 103 Chestnut avenue, has returned from Conestoga, where she spent several days visiting friends.

Miss Mary Garb, who has served as a clerk in the local Post Office for three years, has resigned to take up a course of training for a special line of work in Philadelphia. Her courteous, efficient and cheery service at the Post Office windows will be missed, but her many friends will be glad to know that her new work will offer her a much larger field for advancement.

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Mr. Robert E. Pattison, Jr., is the candidate on the Democratic ticket, and while several hundred of his neighbors who know him well have pledged their vote to him and the majority of them are ordinarily supporters of a straight Republican ticket.

What do we know of any of his opponents on any ballot? They are possibly fine citizens, but here is one whom the majority of us know well and respect fully, and the Narberth voters who are not so favored can depend on our judgment and vote for their neighbor with every confidence.

For those who want to vote for Narberth's candidate for Lieutenant-Governor and the rest of the Republican ticket, the ballot should be marked as below:

REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRATIC
	X
For Governor	For Governor
For Lieutenant Governor	For Lieutenant Governor
	Robert E. Pattison, Jr. X

## Narberth One Hundred Per Cent. for PATTISON

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See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>CANDY, ETC.</b> Davis, H. E. Phone 1254-W. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS</b> Jenkins, Chas. L. Phone 1684. 103 Dudley ave.</p> <p><b>CLOTHING AND DRY GOODS.</b> Narberth Dry Goods Store, 230-32 Woodbine. See display advertisement in this issue. Newpark Quality Shop, 236 Haverford ave. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>COAL AND COKE</b> Narberth Coal &amp; Building Mat. Co. See display advertisement in this issue. Newton Coal Co. Phone Ardmore 104. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>DENTISTS</b> Orr, Dr. A. L. 101 Elmwood av. Ph. 393-W. Phila. Phone Filbert 422. Keith Bldg. Dr. J. Schenck, Jr. Phone Narberth 316-W. S. E. Cor. Grayling and Windsor aves. Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, 9:30 A. M. until 5:30 P. M.; Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8 P. M. until 8 P. M. Dr. H. F. McDuffee, 208 Haverford ave. Office, 644-R House, 327-J. Hours: 9 A. M.-5:30 P. M. Eve. by appointment.</p> <p><b>DRUGGISTS</b> Howard's, Phone 1267. See display advertisement in this issue. Main Line Drug Stores, Phone 1620. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>ELECTRICIANS</b> Case, W. G. Phone 395-W. See display advertisement in this issue. Fugh, Vert. 226 Iona ave. Nar. phone, 650-W. Ard. phone, 103-J.</p> <p><b>FURNITURE DECORATOR.</b> Meis, Earl E. Phone Woodland 4163-R. 709 S. 52nd st., Philadelphia, Pa.</p> <p><b>HARDWARE</b> Bergner Hardware Co., 211 Haverford ave. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>INSURANCE</b> Brewman, Samuel E. (Life). 316 Elmwood ave. Phone 653-W. Foster Bros. (Fire, etc.) 208 Woodside ave. Phone 1262-R. Campbell, Frank D. Automobile, Fire, etc. 4 Stuart ave. Phone 585-R.</p> <p><b>INVESTMENTS</b> William G. Hopper &amp; Co. See display advertisement in this issue.</p>	<p><b>KINDERGARTEN</b> Miss Zentmayer's Kindergarten, N. W. cor. Essex and Windsor aves. Phone 806-M.</p> <p><b>LAWYERS</b> Gilroy, John. 211 Essex ave. Phone 1245-R. Phila. address, Lincoln Bldg. Sittes, Fletcher W. 413 Haverford ave. Phone 372-W. Phila. address, Crozer Bldg.</p> <p><b>LIGHTING FIXTURES</b> McDonald, John. Narberth phone, 1258. 1533 Chest. st., Phila. Phone Spruce 3138.</p> <p><b>MEATS, ETC.</b> Wm. T. McIntyre. Phone Narberth 683. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>MILK AND CREAM</b> Highland Dairies, Inc. See display advertisement in this issue. Scott-Fowell Dairies. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>MUSIC</b> Loos, Fanny H. Piano teacher. Studio, Y. M. C. A. Bldg. Phone 316-J.</p> <p><b>NOTARY PUBLIC</b> Jeffereis, J. H. 111 Narberth ave. Phone 806-M. Simpson, Harry A. 232 Essex ave. Phone Narberth 638. Tyson, Warren R. 209 Woodbine ave. Phone Narberth 1262-W.</p> <p><b>OPTICIANS</b> Fenton, Carl F. 1631 Chestnut St. Spruce 7707. Residence, Wayne, Pa. Palmer, H. E., 209 Haverford Ave. Phone 301-J. Prescriptions filled and repairing.</p> <p><b>PAINTING</b> Newborg, Wm., &amp; Co. 212 Woodbine ave. Phone Narberth 1758-W. See display advertisement in this issue. Walzer, Fred. 117 Winsor ave. Phone 1247-J.</p> <p><b>PAPERHANGING</b> Boyd, Horace S. 313 Meeting House Lane. Phone 356. Marshall Company, Contracting Paperhangers, 300 Price Ave. Phone, Narberth 1661-J.</p> <p><b>PHOTO PLAYS</b> Cook Bros. Phone 302-J. See display advertisement in this issue. Wall, H. B. Phone Narberth 1632-J. See display advertisement in this issue.</p> <p><b>RADIO</b> Ward, A. W. Phone Narberth 1255-W. Radio Outfits and Supplies.</p> <p><b>REAL ESTATE</b> Fritsch, H. C. Phone 232-W. See display advertisement in this issue. Jones, George A. Phone Narberth 318-J. See display advertisement in this issue. Naab, Robert J. Phone, Narberth 1710. Money for First and Second Mortgages.</p> <p><b>RECREATION</b> Recreation Room, No. 1 Forrest ave. 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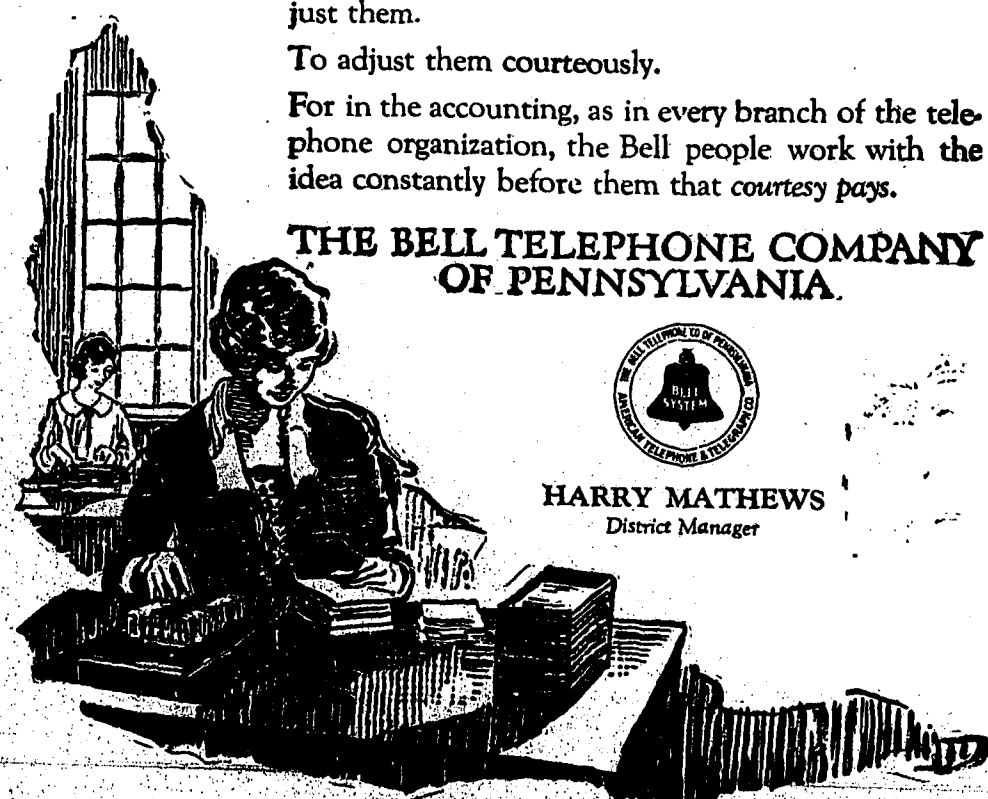
For they know that errors sometimes cause misunderstandings.

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